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9 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
10 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

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12 CHRISTOPHER GORDON, an  
individual,

13 Plaintiff,

14 vs.

15 WOOT, INC., a corporation; and  
16 DOES 1 to 10, inclusive,

17 Defendants.  
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CASE NO.

**COMPLAINT FOR:**

1. **TRADEMARK INFRINGEMENT** [15 U.S.C. §1114 *et seq.*];
2. **TRADEMARK INFRINGEMENT** [California law];
3. **TRADEMARK DILUTION** [15 U.S.C. §1125(c)];
4. **FEDERAL UNFAIR COMPETITION AND FALSE DESIGNATION OF ORIGIN** [15 U.S.C. §1125(a)];
5. **UNFAIR COMPETITION** [California law]; and
6. **COPYRIGHT INFRINGEMENT** [17 U.S.C. §501]

**DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL**

1 Plaintiff CHRISTOPHER GORDON ("Plaintiff") alleges as follows:

2 **INTRODUCTION**

3 Plaintiff is a comedic narrator who, on January 18, 2011, published a video  
4 on YouTube that consisted of his original narration humorously describing the  
5 traits of a honey badger. The video went "viral" and has generated more than 72  
6 million views on YouTube. In the video, Plaintiff's original expression and joke is  
7 "HONEY BADGER DON'T CARE," among others. Plaintiff's original expression  
8 has gained a tremendous amount of notoriety, and his expression has been referred  
9 to in commercials, television shows, magazines, and throughout the internet, and  
10 by numerous celebrities. Plaintiff copyrighted his narration, and also trademarked  
11 "HONEY BADGER DON'T CARE" under four separate registration numbers for  
12 various classes of goods, including t-shirts. Plaintiff has produced, advertised, and  
13 sold t-shirts bearing his expression and mark of "HONEY BADGER DON'T  
14 CARE" since soon after the video was published, and he continues to sell t-shirts  
15 bearing his expression and mark today.

16 Defendant WOOT, INC. ("Defendant") is a t-shirt company that produced  
17 and sold t-shirts bearing expressions substantially and confusingly similar to  
18 Plaintiff's expression and trademark, "HONEY BADGER DON'T CARE." In  
19 addition, Defendant unlawfully advertised its infringing products by affiliating  
20 them with Plaintiff's video. Defendant promoted its infringing goods by explicitly  
21 referencing Plaintiff's video, which had received over 40 million views at the time  
22 according to Defendant's own advertisement. Defendant's advertisements further  
23 played-off Plaintiff's video and trademark by stating, "what do you want to do for  
24 supper tonight, bee larva or cobra heads? And don't say you don't care."  
25 Defendant's blatant nefarious activities, including its unauthorized sales of t-  
26 shirts, constitute, *inter alia*, willful trademark and copyright infringement.

**JURISDICTION AND VENUE**

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2 1. This is a civil action arising under the Trademark and Copyright  
3 Laws of the United States, 15 U.S.C. §§1051, *et seq.*, and 17 U.S.C. §§101 *et seq.*  
4 This Court has subject matter jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§1331 and 1338.

5 2. This Court has supplemental jurisdiction over the claims in this  
6 Complaint that arise under California law pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1367(a) because  
7 the state law claims are so related to the federal claims that they form part of the  
8 same case or controversy and derive from a common nucleus of operative facts.

9 3. Venue is proper in this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§1391(b) and  
10 1400(a). The infringing products which are the subject of this litigation have been  
11 distributed and offered for distribution in the Central District of California, and  
12 Defendant transacts business in the Central District of California. Defendant has  
13 extensive contacts with, and conduct business within, this District; has placed  
14 products into the stream of commerce in this District; and has caused tortious  
15 injury to Plaintiff in this District.

16 **PARTIES**

17 4. Plaintiff is an individual residing in Los Angeles, California.

18 5. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and thereon alleges, that Defendant  
19 WOOT, INC. is a corporation formed in Texas that is subject to the jurisdiction of  
20 this Court. Defendant produces and sells merchandise, with an emphasis on t-  
21 shirts, and conducts its business on the internet at [www.shirt.woot.com](http://www.shirt.woot.com).

22 6. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and thereon alleges, that Defendant  
23 authorized, directed, participated in, contributed to, ratified, and/or accepted the  
24 benefits of the wrongful acts as alleged herein.

25 7. The true names and capacities, whether individual, corporate,  
26 associate or otherwise of defendants DOES 1 through 10, inclusive, are unknown  
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1 to Plaintiff who therefore sues said defendants by such fictitious names. Plaintiff  
 2 is informed and believes and based thereon alleges that each of the fictitiously  
 3 named defendants is responsible in some manner for the events, acts, occurrences  
 4 and liabilities alleged and referred to herein. Plaintiff will seek leave to amend  
 5 this Complaint to allege the true names and capacities of these DOE defendants  
 6 when the same are ascertained.

### 7 **SUBSTANTIVE ALLEGATIONS**

#### 8 **Plaintiff and His Video, Copyright, and Trademark**

9 8. Plaintiff is a comedian, narrator, writer, and actor, and is commonly  
 10 known by his alias, "Randall."

11 9. On January 18, 2011, Plaintiff published a video (the "Video") on  
 12 YouTube that consisted of his original narration humorously describing the traits  
 13 of a honey badger.<sup>1</sup> The Video, titled *The Crazy Nastyass Honey Badger (original*  
 14 *narration by Randall)*, became an instant hit. The Video went "viral" and is one  
 15 of the most popular videos ever uploaded onto YouTube. To date, the Video has  
 16 generated more than 72 million views on YouTube. The Video and subsequent  
 17 phenomenon have been covered by internet blogs such as the *Huffington Post*  
 18 (which proclaimed "Honey Badger Don't Care [as] the best nature video of all  
 19 time") as well as by entertainment news sites like *TMZ*.

20 10. In the Video, Plaintiff's original expression and joke is that the  
 21 HONEY BADGER DON'T CARE. Plaintiff's original expression (and others  
 22 contained in the Video) have gained a tremendous amount of notoriety, and his  
 23 expressions have been referred to in commercials, television shows, magazines,  
 24 and throughout the internet.

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 27 <sup>1</sup>The Video can be viewed at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4r7wHMG5Yig> or by searching  
 on YouTube.com for *The Crazy Nastyass Honey Badger (original narration by Randall)*.

1           11. Plaintiff copyrighted his narration in the Video. The copyright  
2 registration number is PA 1-750-515, the effective date of registration is June 15,  
3 2011, and the title is HONEY BADGER DON'T CARE. Attached hereto as  
4 Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of the certificate of Copyright Registration.

5           12. Plaintiff is also the owner of the trademark HONEY BADGER  
6 DON'T CARE (the "Mark"). Plaintiff registered the Mark with the United States  
7 Patent and Trademark Office for various classes of goods under the following  
8 Registration Numbers: 4,505,781; 4,419,079; 4,419,081; and 4,281,472.  
9 Registration Number 4,505,781 specifically relates to the class of goods for  
10 clothing, including t-shirts. Attached hereto as Exhibit B are true and correct  
11 copies of the Trademark Registrations.

12           13. After the Video was published, Plaintiff produced and sold goods,  
13 including t-shirts, that displayed his Mark. Plaintiff continues to sell t-shirts under  
14 the trademark HONEY BADGER DON'T CARE.

15           14. Plaintiff primarily advertised the t-shirts bearing his Mark on the  
16 internet. Sales of Plaintiff's t-shirts bearing his Mark have been substantial, with a  
17 majority of the sales occurring via the internet.

18           15. The Mark is instantly recognizable as being associated with Plaintiff  
19 (i.e. Randall). The Mark appeared in Plaintiff's Video, and has since been  
20 displayed on numerous advertisements and goods that Plaintiff promotes. Plaintiff  
21 even authored a book titled *Honey Badger Don't Care: Randall's Guide to Crazy*  
22 *Nastyass Animals*, and launched a mobile "app" titled *The Honey Badger Don't*  
23 *Care*.

24           16. Plaintiff has expended a significant amount of time and effort in  
25 making his Mark well-known to the public. Plaintiff has promoted his Mark by,  
26 *inter alia*, advertising it in connection with his products, making guest  
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1 appearances in media outlets, and publicizing the Mark through social media  
2 platforms.

3 17. As a result of the foregoing, including, but not limited to, the  
4 extensive advertisements, promotions, sales, and enormous popularity of the  
5 Mark, the public has come to exclusively identify the Mark with Plaintiff. Among  
6 other things, Plaintiff, his expression, joke and/or his Mark have appeared or been  
7 alluded to in a Wonderful Pistachios commercial during *Dancing with the Stars*, in  
8 an episode of the popular television show *America's Got Talent*, in an episode of  
9 the hit television series *Glee* by the show's famous cheerleading coach Sue  
10 Sylvester (Jane Lynch), in a *Vogue* profile of celebrity recording artist Taylor  
11 Swift, and on the *Howard Stern* radio show (Baba Booey). Plaintiff's expression,  
12 joke, and Mark are famous and distinctive under applicable law, including within  
13 the meaning of 15 U.S.C. §§ 1125(c)(1) and 1127.

14 **DEFENDANT'S UNLAWFUL ACTIVITIES AND WILLFUL**  
15 **INFRINGEMENT**

16 18. Defendant is a competitor of Plaintiff, as it also produces and sells t-  
17 shirts on the internet.

18 19. Defendant produced and sold t-shirts that were substantially and  
19 confusingly similar to Plaintiff's Mark and expressions. Defendant produced and  
20 sold these goods throughout the United States, including California, via the  
21 internet at [www.shirt.woot.com](http://www.shirt.woot.com).

22 20. Defendant's product descriptions and advertisements for its  
23 infringing merchandise reveals a campaign of willful infringement. For instance,  
24 Defendant unlawfully advertised its infringing products by affiliating them with  
25 Plaintiff's Video, which had received over 40 million views at the time according  
26 to Defendant's own advertisement. Defendant's advertisements further played-off  
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1 Plaintiff's Video and trademark by stating, "what do you want to do for supper  
2 tonight, bee larva or cobra heads? And don't say you don't care." In fact, the  
3 derivation of those expressions originate from Plaintiff's extremely popular Video,  
4 and were used and copied by Defendant just to increase its unlawful sales.

5 21. Defendant's manipulative and unfair advertising of the infringing  
6 merchandise enabled it to reap financial success, as Defendant produced and sold  
7 infringing merchandise in various sizes and colors, and generated substantial  
8 revenue in the process.

9 22. Defendant's strategic advertisement was designed to capitalize on  
10 Plaintiff's Mark, trample upon his intellectual property rights, and cause customer  
11 confusion.

12 23. On July 31, 2014, Plaintiff's counsel demanded that Defendant stop  
13 selling the infringing merchandise and disclose the amount of sales for all  
14 infringing products. Defendant agreed to stop selling the infringing merchandise,  
15 only after generating substantial sales from the infringing merchandise, and only  
16 after sales of the infringing merchandise began declining.

17 24. Defendant's intentional and deceitful acts of unfair competition and  
18 use of the Mark and/or derivations thereof have caused confusion, and are likely to  
19 do so in the future, and have caused mistake and deception as to the affiliation or  
20 association of the Defendant with Plaintiff, and as to the origin, sponsorship, or  
21 approval of the Defendant's goods by Plaintiff. In fact, one of Defendant's  
22 customers remarked: "Think I'm going to buy one [t-shirt] for my 5 yr old son. He  
23 hasn't seen the video it connects with, but he likes badgers, cobras, etc." Plaintiff  
24 has neither authorized nor consented to the use by Defendant of the Mark or any  
25 colorable imitation of it, or any mark confusingly similar to it.







1 advantages that Defendant has realized by reason of its acts of trademark  
2 infringement.

3 31. Because of the willful nature of the wrongful acts of Defendant,  
4 Plaintiff is entitled to all remedies available under 15 U.S.C. §§1117 and 1118,  
5 including, but not limited to, an award of treble damages and increased profits  
6 pursuant to 15 U.S.C. §1117.

7 32. Plaintiff also is entitled to recover his attorney's fees and costs of suit  
8 pursuant to 15 U.S.C. §1117.

9 **SECOND CLAIM**

10 **(Trademark Infringement under California Business and Professions Code**  
11 **section 14245 *et seq.* and California Common Law Against All Defendants)**

12 33. Plaintiff repeats, repleads and realleges the allegations contained in  
13 Paragraphs 1 through 32, as though fully set forth herein.

14 34. Defendant's use of the Mark without Plaintiff's consent constitutes  
15 trademark infringement and unfair competition in violation of California common  
16 law in that, among other things, such use is likely to cause confusion, deception,  
17 and mistake among the consuming public as to the source, approval or sponsorship  
18 of the goods offered by Defendant.

19 35. The acts and conduct of Defendant complained of herein constitute  
20 trademark infringement and unfair competition in violation of the statutory law of  
21 California, including California Business and Professions Code section 14245 *et*  
22 *seq.*, in that, among other things, Defendant's acts and conduct are likely to cause  
23 confusion, deception, and mistake among the consuming public as to the source,  
24 approval or sponsorship of the goods offered by Defendant. Defendant's acts are  
25 designed to trade upon Plaintiff's reputation and goodwill by causing confusion  
26 and mistake among consumers and the public. Plaintiff is entitled to preliminary  
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1 and permanent injunctions restraining and enjoining Defendant and its officers,  
2 agents, affiliates, vendors, partners and employees, and all persons acting in  
3 concert with Defendant, from using in commerce Plaintiff's federally registered  
4 Mark and his common law rights in the Mark.

5 36. As a direct and proximate result of Defendant's willful and  
6 intentional actions, Plaintiff has suffered damages in an amount to be determined  
7 at trial. Plaintiff is entitled to all remedies provided by California Business and  
8 Professions Code section 14247 *et seq.*, including injunctive relief and recovery of  
9 three times Defendant's profits and damages suffered by reason of their wrongful  
10 conduct. Because of the willful nature of Defendant's wrongful acts, Plaintiff is  
11 entitled to an award of punitive damages.

### 12 **THIRD CLAIM**

#### 13 **(Trademark Dilution under 15 U.S.C. §1125(c) Against All Defendants)**

14 37. Plaintiff repeats and realleges each and every allegation of paragraphs  
15 1 through 36, above, as though fully set forth herein.

16 38. Plaintiff has used his Mark to identify his products before Defendant  
17 began using confusing derivations of the Mark without his permission.

18 39. The Mark is inherently distinctive and has acquired distinction  
19 through Plaintiff's extensive, continuous, and exclusive use of the Mark. The  
20 Mark is famous and distinctive within the meaning of 15 U.S.C. §§1125(c)(1) and  
21 1127.

22 40. Defendant's use of the Mark is likely to dilute the distinctive quality  
23 of the Mark in violation of 15 U.S.C. §1125(c).

24 41. As a direct and proximate result of Defendant's wrongful acts,  
25 Plaintiff has suffered and continues to suffer and/or is likely to suffer damage to  
26 his trademarks, reputation, and goodwill. Defendant will continue to use the Mark  
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1 and/or derivations thereof and will cause irreparable damage to Plaintiff. Plaintiff  
2 has no adequate remedy at law and is entitled to an injunction restraining  
3 Defendant, its officers, agents, and employees, and all persons acting in concert  
4 with them, from engaging in further acts of trademark dilution.

5 42. Plaintiff is entitled to recover from Defendant the actual damages that  
6 he sustained and/or is likely to sustain as a result of Defendant's wrongful acts.  
7 Plaintiff is presently unable to ascertain the full extent of the monetary damages  
8 that he has sustained and/or is likely to sustain by reason of Defendant's acts of  
9 trademark dilution.

10 43. Plaintiff is further entitled to recover from Defendant the gains,  
11 profits, and advantages that Defendant has obtained as a result of its wrongful  
12 acts. Plaintiff is presently unable to ascertain the extent of the gains, profits, and  
13 advantages that Defendant has realized by reason of its acts of trademark dilution.

14 44. Because of the willful nature of the wrongful acts of Defendant,  
15 Plaintiff is entitled to all remedies available under 15 U.S.C. §§1117 and 1118,  
16 including an award of treble damages and increased profits pursuant to 15 U.S.C.  
17 §1117.

18 45. Plaintiff also is entitled to recover his attorney's fees and costs of suit  
19 pursuant to 15 U.S.C. §1117.

#### 20 **FOURTH CLAIM**

#### 21 **(Federal Unfair Competition and False Designation of Origin in Violation of** 22 **15 U.S.C. §1125(a) Against All Defendants)**

23 46. Plaintiff repeats, repleads and realleges the allegations contained in  
24 Paragraphs 1 through 45, as though fully set forth herein.

25 47. Defendant's acts as alleged above constitute unfair competition and a  
26 false designation of origin which have caused confusion, mistake, deception as to  
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1 the affiliation, connection or association of Defendant with Plaintiff and as to the  
2 origin, sponsorship, or approval of Defendant's goods, services and/or activities  
3 by Plaintiff and are likely to do so in the future, in violation of the Lanham Act, 15  
4 U.S.C. §1125(a).

5 48. As a direct and proximate result of Defendant's wrongful acts,  
6 Plaintiff has suffered and continues to suffer and is likely to suffer damage to his  
7 reputation, goodwill, and to the Mark. Defendant will continue the activities  
8 alleged herein and will cause irreparable damage to Plaintiff. Plaintiff has no  
9 adequate remedy at law and is entitled to an injunction restraining Defendant, its  
10 officers, agents, affiliates, vendors, partners and employees, and all persons acting  
11 in concert with Defendant, from engaging in further acts of unfair competition,  
12 deceitful acts using the Mark, and false designation of origin and false affiliation  
13 and association.

14 49. Plaintiff is further entitled to recover from Defendant the actual  
15 damages that he sustained and/or is likely to sustain as a result of Defendant's  
16 wrongful and devious acts. Plaintiff is presently unable to ascertain the full extent  
17 of the monetary damages that he has suffered and/or is likely to sustain by reason  
18 of Defendant's acts of unfair competition and false designation of origin and false  
19 affiliation and association.

20 50. Plaintiff is further entitled to recover from Defendant the gains,  
21 profits, and advantages it has obtained as a result of its wrongful and malicious  
22 acts. Plaintiff is presently unable to ascertain the extent of the gains, profits, and  
23 advantages that Defendant has realized by reason of its acts of unfair competition  
24 and false designation of origin and false affiliation and association.



**SIXTH CLAIM**

**(Copyright Infringement Against All Defendants)**

59. Plaintiff repeats, repleads and realleges the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 through 58, as though fully set forth herein.

60. Plaintiff is informed and believes that Defendant had access to the Video, through, *inter alia*, YouTube.

61. Defendant manufactured, produced, and sold merchandise, including t-shirts, that copy in a substantially similar manner jokes and expressions from Plaintiff's Video, including derivations of Plaintiff's joke and expression that the "Honey Badger Don't Care." Defendant's uses of Plaintiff's jokes and expressions are substantially similar to Plaintiff's use in the Video. Moreover, Defendant unlawfully advertised its infringing products by promoting them with expressions that originate from Plaintiff's Video.

62. Defendant infringed Plaintiff's copyright by manufacturing, producing, advertising, and selling merchandise that prominently displayed derivations of Plaintiff's jokes and expressions that he used in his copyrighted Video. Defendant sold its infringing merchandise on the internet at [www.shirt.woot.com](http://www.shirt.woot.com). Defendant's conduct violated Plaintiff's exclusive right in his expressions and jokes contained in his Video.

63. Plaintiff is informed and believes that Defendants, and each of them, knowingly induced, participated in, aided and abetted in, and profited from the illegal copying and/or subsequent sales of the infringing merchandise featuring Plaintiff's expressions and jokes from the Video.

64. Plaintiff is informed and believes that Defendants, and each of them, are vicariously liable for the infringement alleged herein because they had the right and ability to supervise the infringing conduct and because they had a direct

1 financial interest in the infringing conduct. As such, Defendants, and each of  
2 them, are liable for vicarious and/or contributory copyright infringement under 17  
3 U.S.C. §101.

4 65. Due to Defendant's acts of infringement, Plaintiff has suffered  
5 substantial damage to his business in an amount to be established at trial.

6 66. Due to Defendant's acts of infringement, Plaintiff has suffered  
7 general and special damages in an amount to be established at trial.

8 67. Due to Defendant's acts of copyright infringement, Defendant has  
9 obtained direct and indirect profits it would not otherwise have realized but for its  
10 infringement. As such, Plaintiff is entitled to disgorgement of Defendant's profits  
11 directly and indirectly attributable to Defendant's infringement of Plaintiff's jokes  
12 and expressions used in his Video in an amount to be established at trial.

13 68. Plaintiff is informed and believes that Defendant infringed Plaintiff's  
14 copyright with knowledge that he owned the exclusive rights in his expressions  
15 and jokes as contained in the Video and/or that Defendant was reckless in  
16 committing the infringement alleged herein. Defendant's acts of copyright  
17 infringement were willful, intentional and malicious, subjecting Defendant to  
18 liability for statutory damages under Section 504(c)(2) of the Copyright Act in the  
19 sum of up to \$150,000 per infringement and/or Defendant is precluded from  
20 deducting certain overhead expenses when calculating profits for disgorgement.

21 **PRAYER FOR RELIEF**

22 **WHEREFORE**, Plaintiff prays for judgment against Defendant, as follows:

23 1. That Defendant has (i) infringed the Mark under 15 U.S.C. §1114 *et*  
24 *seq.*; (ii) infringed the Mark under California law; (iii) violated 15 U.S.C.  
25 §1125(c); (iv) violated 15 U.S.C. §1125(a); (v) engaged in unfair competition and  
26 violated California Business and Professions Code section 17200 *et seq.*; and (vi)



1 infringed Plaintiff's rights in his federally registered copyright under 17 U.S.C.  
2 §501.

3 2. That each of the above acts were willful.

4 3. That Plaintiff be awarded (i) all profits of Defendant, (ii) all of his  
5 damages, (iii) statutory damages available under the law including 15 U.S.C.  
6 §1117 and 17 U.S.C. §504, if elected, (iv) treble damages, (v) punitive damages,  
7 (vi) disgorgement and restitution of all benefits received by Defendants arising  
8 from their infringement as provided by law, and/or (vii) enhanced damages for  
9 Defendant's willful infringement as provided in 15 U.S.C. §1117 and 17 U.S.C.  
10 §504, the sum of which will be proven at the time of trial.

11 4. That Defendant, its officers, agents, servants, affiliates, partners,  
12 vendors, employees and attorneys, and those persons in active concert or  
13 participation with them, be preliminarily and permanently enjoined from:

- 14 a. Using Plaintiff's expression and mark "HONEY BADGER  
15 DON'T CARE" or any colorable imitation thereof, or any other  
16 expression or mark likely to cause confusion, mistake, or  
17 deception, in connection with the sale, offering for sale,  
18 distribution, manufacturing, advertising, or promotion of their  
19 goods or services;
- 20 b. Using any false designation of origin or false description that  
21 can, or is likely to, lead the public to believe that any product  
22 manufactured, distributed, sold, offered for sale, or advertised  
23 by Defendant are in any manner associated or connected with  
24 Plaintiff is sold, manufactured, licensed, sponsored, or  
25 approved or authorized by Plaintiff;
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1 c. Engaging in any other activity constituting an infringement of  
2 Plaintiff's trademark and copyright rights or otherwise unfairly  
3 competing with Plaintiff; and

4 d. Engaging in any other activity that dilutes the distinctive  
5 quality of the Mark by, among other things, using the Mark in  
6 connection with the sale, offering for sale, distribution,  
7 manufacturing, advertising, or promotion of its goods.

8 5. That Defendant be directed to deliver up to Plaintiff all products  
9 bearing the Mark, any copy, simulation, variation or colorable imitations of the  
10 Mark, and any documents or tangible things that discuss, describe, mention or  
11 relate to such products.

12 6. That Defendant file with the Court and serve upon Plaintiff's counsel  
13 within thirty (30) days after entry of judgment a report in writing under oath  
14 setting forth in detail the manner and form in which Defendant has complied with  
15 the requirements of the injunction.

16 7. That Defendant be required to pay to Plaintiff all of his costs,  
17 disbursements, and attorney's fees in this action.

18 8. For prejudgment interest.

19 9. For such other relief as the Court deems proper.

20 DATED: March 2, 2015

KRANE & SMITH, APC

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22 By: 

23 DANIEL L. REBACK  
24 JEREMY SMITH  
25 Attorneys for Plaintiff,  
26 CHRISTOPHER GORDON  
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## Certificate of Registration



This Certificate issued under the seal of the Copyright Office in accordance with title 17, United States Code, attests that registration has been made for the work identified below. The information on this certificate has been made a part of the Copyright Office records.

*Maurice A. Pallante*

Register of Copyrights, United States of America

Registration Number  
PA 1-750-515

Effective date of  
registration:  
June 15, 2011

## Title

Title of Work: Hockey Badger Don't Care

## Completion/Publication

Year of Completion: 2011

Date of 1st Publication: January 18, 2011

Nation of 1st Publication: United States

## Author

Author: Christopher Zane Gordon

Author Created: text and narration as contained in the video soundtrack

Work made for hire: No

Citizen of: United States

Domestic to: United States

## Copyright claimant

Copyright Claimant: Christopher Zane Gordon

21942 Rice Street, Newhall, CA, 91321, United States

## Limitation of copyright claim

Material excluded from this claim: musical recording

New material included in claim: text and narration as contained in the video soundtrack

## Certification

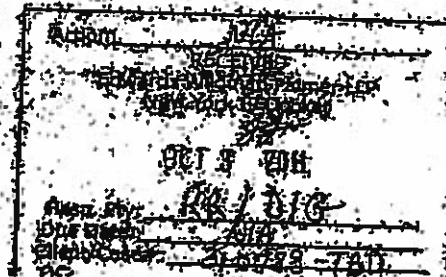
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Applicant's Tracking Number: 67653-5000-800

Correspondence: Yes

EXHIBIT A



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# United States of America

United States Patent and Trademark Office

HONEY BADGER DON'T CARE

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Registered Apr. 1, 2014

Int. CL: 25

TRADEMARK

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FOR: CLOTHING, NAMELY, T-SHIRTS, TANK TOPS, ONE PIECE GARMENT FOR INFANTS AND TODDLERS, LONG-SLEEVE SHIRTS, CAPS, IN CLASS 25 (U.S. CLS. 22 AND 39)

FIRST USE 2-24-2011; IN COMMERCE 2-24-2011.

THE MARK CONSISTS OF STANDARD CHARACTERS WITHOUT CLAIM TO ANY PARTICULAR FONT, STYLE, SIZE, OR COLOR.

SN 85-447,667, FILED 10-14-2011.

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EXHIBIT B

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United States Patent and Trademark Office

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Reg. No. 4,419,079

Registered Oct. 15, 2013

Int. Cl.: 9

TRADEMARK

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FOR: AUDIO BOOKS IN THE FIELD OF COMEDY, PARODY AND SATIRE; COMPUTER APPLICATION SOFTWARE FOR MOBILE PHONES, PORTABLE MEDIA PLAYERS, HANDHELD COMPUTERS, NAMELY, SOFTWARE FOR PLAYING GAMES, IN CLASS 9 (U.S. CLS. 21, 23, 26, 36 AND 38).

FIRST USE 12-0-2011; IN COMMERCE 12-0-2011.

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FOR: (BASED ON USE) CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS AND DECORATIONS; TALKING  
DOLLS AND PLUSH TOYS, IN CLASS 28 (U.S. CLS. 22, 23, 38 AND 50).

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THE MARK CONSISTS OF STANDARD CHARACTERS WITHOUT CLAIM TO ANY PAR-  
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**DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL**

Plaintiff CHRISTOPHER GORDON hereby demands a jury trial in this action.

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